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GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE AGENDA AND MINUTES

DATE OF MEETING: OCTOBER 26, 2011

ATTENDEES: MORGAN GRESHAM, PATRICIA PETTIJOHN, MARIA CORTON, GEORGE ROY, AND
KATHRYN ARTHUR

DATE MINUTES APPROVED:

AGENDA

Select 2011-2012 Chair

Discuss issues that need to be addressed in the coming year

MINUTES

2010-2011 Chair Morgan Gresham reviewed the responsibilities of the GenEd Committee as the following: Review proposals for new GenEd courses, participate in the meetings of the Planning, Effectiveness, and Budget Committee, reviews and revise GenEd policies and course offerings.

The committee nominated and unanimously votes Maria Corton and Kathryn Arthur as Co-chairs of the 2011-2012 GenEd Committee.

We all agreed that both co-Chairs, Maria Corton and Kathryn Arthur, and the former Chair, Morgan Gresham, would attend the PEBC on Oct. 27. At subsequent PEBC meetings the current co-chairs will rotate attending.

Maria agreed to email the Faculty Senate to determine if the Senate had new or specific charges for the committee this year.

We discussed possible issues to be addressed in the coming year.

- reducing the number of Gen-ed courses
- review of streamlining Gen-ed in the 9 knowledge sections to ensure there are courses that fulfill all the student learning outcomes listed under each knowledge area
- creation of a policy and procedures document
- gen-ed application form
- clearer understanding of committee role with administration
- work on consolidating GenEd information on web

We agreed to meet once a month on the last Wednesday of the month: November 30, January 25, February 29, March 28, and April 25.